



Community Service Award

Call for Nominations :: Association for Asian American Studies

On behalf of the Association for Asian American Studies (AAAS), and the Division of Diversity and Community Engagement at The University of Texas at Austin, we invite nominations for community service awards to honor individuals, organizations, and specific projects that have made outstanding contributions to Asian Pacific Islander Desi American (APIDA) communities, preferably in Central Texas. We aim to acknowledge and to honor those who have assumed leadership roles in advocating for APIDA and immigrant causes, providing services and outreach, fostering community and history, and promoting awareness of APIDA issues. Honorees will receive their commemorative plaques at the AAAS Annual Conference awards reception that will be convened in Austin on April 10, 2010.

AAAS was founded in 1979 for the purpose of advancing the highest professional standard of excellence in teaching and research in the field of Asian American Studies; promoting better understanding and closer ties between and among various sub-components within Asian American Studies: Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Filipino, Hawai'ian, Southeast Asian, South Asian, Pacific Islander, and other groups. The organization advocates and represents the interests and welfare of Asian American Studies and Asian Americans by educating American society about the history and aspirations of Asian American ethnic minorities. In making these service awards, AAAS aims to recognize and publicize the critical contributions made by community leaders and groups in advancing its mission.

The deadline for nominations is Nov. 30, 2009. Please complete the attached nomination form and send it by email to aas@austin.utexas.edu or by fax to 512-232-7136. Self-nominations are welcome. For more information, please contact Kenyatta Dawson at kydawson@mail.utexas.edu. Honorees will be notified by Jan. 30, 2010.

E-MAIL COMPLETE SUBMISSION TO:
AAS@AUSTIN.UTEXAS.EDU

This nomination is for:

an individual **a group** **a specific project***

If you are nominating a group, please provide the name of a contact person below and attach a list with the name, title, organization, address and telephone number of each nominee **who played a key role**.

*Projects must have been completed in 2009 and can include festivals, campaigns, initiatives, and special events.

INDIVIDUAL NOMINATION:

Name of Individual: Mr. Mrs. Ms. Other _____

First Name:

Last Name:

Position/Title:

Preferred mailing address:

City/Town:

State/Province:

Zip/Postal Code:

Telephone: ()

Fax: ()

E-mail:

Your Connection to the Nominee:

GROUP NOMINATION:

Name of Group:

Main Contact Name/Title or Position:

Preferred mailing address:

City/Town:

State/Province:

Zip/Postal Code:

Telephone: ()

Fax: ()

E-mail:

Your Connection to the Nominee:

SPECIFIC PROJECT NOMINATION:

Name of Group:

Main Contact Name/Title or Position:

Preferred mailing address:

City/Town: State/Province:

Zip/Postal Code:

Telephone: () Fax: ()

E-mail:

Your Connection to the Nominee:

NOMINATOR: Mr. Mrs. Ms. Other _____

First Name: Last Name:

Title/Position:

Preferred mailing address:

City/Town: State/Province: Zip/Postal Code:

Telephone: () Fax: ()

E-mail:

Summary of Achievement

In the space below, please describe your reasons for making this nomination. Information that will help the selection committee make its decisions include the key accomplishments of the nominee, their history of service to Central Texas APIDA communities, numbers and characteristics of the population served, and their mission and chief objectives. If available, please suggest additional sources of information, such as newspaper articles, websites, and other forms of readily accessible coverage of your nominee's activities and achievements.

<< Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary >>

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